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RAILWAYS
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GAUGE CONVERSION OF GORAKHPUR GONDA RAIL LINE
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the work of gauge conversion of Gorakhpur-Gonda rail line of North-Eastern Railway is in progress;

(b) if so, the time by which it is likely to be completed; and

(c) the details of the amount allocated for and spent on the above project so far?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS(SHRI R. VELU)

(a): Yes, Sir.

(b): No target date has yet been fixed.

(c): The latest anticipated cost of the project is Rs. 386.17 crore. The anticipated expenditure upto March' 2005 is Rs. 41.99 crore. An outlay of Rs. 10 Lakh has been proposed for the project during 2005-06.